

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

PETER SERRANO

Plaintiff

14-cv-02183

-against-

COMPLAINT

THE CITY OF NEW YORK
POLICE OFFICER JOHN DOE 1-10

PLAINTIFF DEMANDS
TRIAL BY JURY

Defendants

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PRELIMINARY STATEMENT

1. This is a civil action for damages brought pursuant to redress the deprivation by defendants of the rights secured to plaintiff under the Constitution and laws of the United States and State of New York. The defendants, upon information & belief, without a warrant and without probable cause, unlawfully arrested and falsely imprisoned the plaintiff PETER SERRANO on multiple occasions. Malicious prosecution is claimed as well. The charges were false and were eventually dismissed after the plaintiff suffered wrongful incarceration. The plaintiff did not consent to the confinement on any of the occasions as set forth below and it was not otherwise privileged.. By the filing of this complaint, the plaintiff now alleges that the City of New York & the New York City Police Department violated his rights under 42 USC Section 1983, the 4th Amendment of the United States Constitution and New York State law. In addition, the plaintiff invokes the pendant jurisdiction of this court to assert claims arising under state law

2. That the jurisdiction of this Court is invoked under the provisions of Section 1331 & 1343 of Title 28 and Sections 1983 & 1988 of Title 42 of the United States Code . Plaintiff